Data Extract Guide - Provider < Customer Name>

Client Name	
Data contact	TBD
Initiate Project Manager	

Security

Strict confidentiality standards are adhered to at Initiate. We take this responsibility very seriously and enforce regulatory standards relating to the distribution, disclosure and retention of personal data. Unless otherwise instructed, Initiate destroys client media in accordance with an agreed upon timeframe.

For each section below, please provide responses to the questions and provide any additional information that you believe may be helpful in understanding your data environment and processes.

Sources of data

The following are the customer data sources and descriptions:

Data Source (Vendor, Source, Version)	Description	Encounter data?	Client Expected Record Count (Not to Exceed)
		□ Yes □ No	
		□ Yes □ No	
		□ Yes □ No	
		□ Yes □ No	



Structure of extract

Question	Description	Response
What is your primary identifier?	This is the number used to uniquely identify a person. For example, it may be the MRN, Corporate ID, or SSN. <i>Briefly describe- note characters</i> .	
Does the primary ID have a meaningful prefix, suffix, or any other characteristic within the identifier?	Describe any values in the identifier that represent a distinct population, such as a facility, type of customer, or region.	□ Yes □ No
How is the primary ID assigned?	Indicate if the primary ID is assigned serially (sequentially), pulled from a pool or block, or created algorithmically. <i>Describe if block or algorithm.</i>	☐ Serial ☐ Pool /block ☐ Algorithm ☐ □ Serial
Can you extract one record per primary identifier?	When you perform your data extract, are you able to pull one record per unique identifier?	□ Yes □ No
Do you assign a secondary identifier?	For example, a Corporate ID where your local source ID would be the primary, or reverse (for integration, reporting, et cetera)? <i>Describe</i> .	□ Yes □ No
Do you have multiple facilities (i) sharing the same MRN or (ii) assigning a unique MRN by facility?	In either one of these scenarios, a Corporate ID is being assigned and may or may not be known to the user, but the Corporate ID is linking the same-source, different facility identifiers?	☐ No ☐ Yes- Sharing Same MRN ☐ Yes- Assigning Unique MRN by
Do you have multiple facilities assigning a unique MRN by facility?	In this scenario, a Corporate ID is NOT being assigned but a facility-specific ID denotes the facility-origin of the identifier (i.e. SM = St. Mary's: SM123456). Please describe the facility-specific identifier.	facility ☐ Yes ☐ No
Do multiple sources contain a shared identifier?	If you have a system-wide identifier to link customers across multiple systems, Initiate can assess the accuracy of these "pointers".	□ Yes □ No
Do you have records without a primary identifier?	If you wish to include these in your evaluation, a primary identifier needs to be assigned prior to submitting the file, or Initiate can assign an identifier during processing. <i>Briefly describe</i> .	□ Yes □ No
Can the source file contain "merged" records?	Customer acknowledges that merged records will be removed prior to sending the file to Initiate.	□ Yes □ No

File Characteristics

The information used to relate records is comprised of identifying information contained within source files. Formats and attribute content should conform to the specifications outlined in this guide. The listed required attributes are necessary for member matching. The richness of the attributes and the degree to which they are populated factors into the strength of our linking and matching. Additional attributes aid in validating records and provides meaningful context to the data.



The following is the agreed upon format of the source data for source XXXXXX:

Field	Field	format of the source data for source process. Description	Max	Format
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1.	Source*	Identifies source of data	40	Text
2.	Source ID	Unique ID to source *	60	Text
3.	Provider last name	Provider Last Name	75	Text
4.	Provider first name	Provider First Name	30	Text
5.	Provider middle name	Provider Middle Name	30	Text
6.	Provider name suffix	Provider Suffix. This can be included with the Last Name also, if that's how the client has their data	10	Text
7.	Provider Business Name	Business Name	128	Text
8.	Federal Tax ID	Federal Tax ID	40	Text
9.	Birth Date	Birth Date	10	YYYY-MM-DD
10.	SSN	Social Security Number	12	NNN-NN- NNNN
11.	Gender	Gender	10	Text
12.	Primary Address Line1	Provider Primary Address line 1	75	Text
13.	Primary Address Line 2	Provider Primary Address line 2	75	Text
14.	Primary City	Provider Primary Address City	30	Text
15.	Primary State	Provider Primary Address State	2	Text
16.	Primary Zip Code	Provider Primary Address Postal code	10	Text
17.	Business Address Line1	Address line 1 - Business	75	Text
18.	Business Address Line 2	Address line 2 - Business	75	Text
19.	Business City	City – Business	30	Text
20.	Business State	State – Business	2	Text
21.	Business Zip Code	Postal code - Business	10	Text
22.	Billing Address Line1	Address line 1 - Billing	75	Text
23.	Billing Address Line 2	Address line 2 - Billing	75	Text
24.	Billing City	City – Billing	30	Text
25.	Billing State	State – Billing	2	Text
26.	Billing Zip Code	Postal code - Billing	10	Text
27.	Other Address Line1	Address line 1 - Other	75	Text
28.	Other Address Line 2	Address line 2 - Other	75	Text
29.	Other City	City – Other	30	Text
30.	Other State	State – Other	2	Text



31.	Other Zip Code	Postal code - Other	10	Text
32.	Primary Phone Area Code	Primary Phone Area Code	3	XXX (text)
33.	Primary Phone Number	Primary Phone Number	20	Text
34.	Business Phone Area Code	Business Phone Area Code	3	XXX (text)
35.	Business Phone Number	Business Phone Number	20	Text
36.	Fax Number Area Code	Fax Number Area Code	3	XXX (text)
37.	Fax Number	Fax Number	20	Text
38.	Other Phone Area Code	Other Phone Area Code	3	XXX (text)
39.	Other Phone Number	Other Phone Number	20	Text
40.	Provider Role/Type	Provider Role/Type	128	Text –or- Enumerated Data: "INDIV" or "ORG"
41.	National Provider Identifier	National Provider Identifier	40	Text
42.	Drug Enforcement Administration ID	Drug Enforcement Administration ID	40	Text
43.	Unique Physician Identification Number	Unique Physician Identification Number	40	Text
44.	Medicare ID	Medicare ID	40	Text
45.	Medicaid ID	Medicaid ID	40	Text
46.	State ID	State ID	40	Text
47.	State ID Issue Date	State ID Issue Date	10	YYYY-MM-DD
48.	State ID License Status	State ID License Status	128	Text
49.	Email Address	Email Address	128	Text
50.	Web Address	Web Address	128	Text
51.	Board Certification	Board Certification	128	Text
52.	Credentials	Credentials	128	Text
53.	Facility	Facility	128	Text
54.	Medical School	Medical School	128	Text
55.	License Class	License Class	128	Text
56.	License Date	License Date	128	Text
57.	License ID	License ID	128	Text
58.	License Method	License Method	128	Text
59.	License Status	License Status	128	Text
60.	Registration Status	Registration Status	128	Text
61.	Specialty	Specialty	128	Text –or- Enumerated Data: <list OF SPECIALTIES</list
62.	Status	Status	128	Text

^{*} Excludes non-surviving/merged records

Assumptions:



- *Bold fields are required
- Source ID is unique within the source
- Standard data load files for the Initiate™ software are pipe { | } delimited and include one header record with the source and extract date.
- Files are flat and will have CRLF present at the end of each line.
- Files are ASCII unless otherwise specified
- Delimited files require field placement
- All dates are in YYYYMMDD format
- Max Length indicates the maximum allowable length for data in the field (excess characters are dropped);

Data Characteristics

Data fields should be:

- Alphanumeric (A) characters, Left-justified
- Numeric (N) digits, Right-justified

Customization

The Initiate™ Identity Hub software is configurable to support additional attributes or different formats (changed field order, different delimiters, et cetera). These changes must be approved and documented as revisions to the above format prior to file submission so we can properly configure the software. Certain customizations could require a change to project pricing or schedules. Please coordinate any extract change requests with your Initiate Systems Project Manager.

Preventing Extract Errors

We do not process data that fail to meet the described criteria for Position, Length, Format, or Validation. We recognize that any large volume of data is likely to have unforeseen characteristics, so we recommend that you perform thorough quality assurance on your extracts before delivering them to us. Preliminary validation guidelines are included in the checklist below.

When we encounter errors we provide you a reject log of the records we could not process. If there are a significant number of errors (greater than 0.05%) you may be required to provide another extract. Reprocessing your data due to excessive extract errors may impact the project schedule and/or price.

Media Delivery/Electronic Transmission

Initiate is dedicated to the safe and timely transport of your data. The following types of media are acceptable.

Other Compatible Media

- CD-ROM
- DVD
- IDE Internal/External Hard Drive
- JAZ
- ZIP



Online Data Transmission

• Initiate Systems offers electronic transfer of files through our secure ftp site. Each of our clients receives a dedicated, secure folder for your data transmission. Once the transmission is complete, Initiates' staff removes all data from the ftp site and stores it on a secure server to perform our data analysis. Only your Initiate project team has access to this data. The default ftp transmission mode is ASCII so you must specify BINARY mode for transmission of compressed files. Please coordinate with you project manager to arrange for data encryption, if necessary.

URL: http://securetransfer.initiatesystems.com

Username:

Password: [Project Manager to provide to extract resource via phone]



Data submission checklist

When we receive your data we perform the following series of checks to ensure that the quality, size, and format of the data are what we expected and agreed upon:

Step	Description	Pass	
Readable	Are the files readable? If they are zipped, can they be extracted and read in a plain text viewer?	□ Yes	□ No
File counts	What is the record count of each file? Does that match our expected record count?	□ Yes	□ No
Primary ID	Is the primary identifier unique throughout the source file?	□ Yes	□ No
Date Format	Does the date format for all date fields match our expected date format, including only valid dates?	□ Yes	□ No
Name Format	Is the name format divided into first, middle, and last?	□ Yes	□ No
Non-printable characters	Does the file contain printable characters only? In other words, it does not include any non-printable characters.	□ Yes	□ No
End of line terminator	Does the end of line terminator match the CRLF that we are expecting?	□ Yes	□ No
Format	Does the file adhere to the agreed upon format? Is the correct delimiter used ()?	□ Yes	□ No
Source	Does the file contain a column that identifies each record as pertaining to a particular source?	□ Yes	□ No
Null value	Character(s) are not used to indicate a null value in any field.	□ Yes	□ No
Extra characters	Are there any extra characters or fields that we did not agree to in the format?	□ Yes	□ No

Any indication of a 'No' in the questions above may require you to provide a new source extract.

